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In response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2004:

A listing of the currently pending Claims is reflected in the listing of claims,
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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